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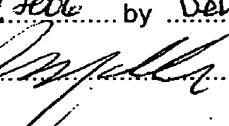
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE

Please find hereinafter a correction of the last submitted amendments in response to the office action dated March 20th, 2006.

Applicants thank the examiner for his comprehension. Correction is thereby made to the status identifiers of claims 7, 33, 37-42, 46. Claim 45 is reformatted and to its original form. The claim version submitted in the amendment of November 18th, 2004 was taken as the current pending claims to adjust the status identifier.

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